



RUTHVEN TELEPHONE EXCHANGE CO.

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To Ruthven Telephone Customers:

River Valley Telecommunications Coop and Ruthven Telephone Exchange Co. have announced that as of December 31, 2006, Ruthven service will be provided by River Valley. Ruthven is presently a wholly owned subsidiary of River Valley. The Ruthven subsidiary will be liquidated and become an integral part of River Valley.

This corporate change will not effect the Ruthven customers. Even though the name will now be changed to River Valley, all the services you presently have will be continued just as you have now. All services of Ruthven are currently provided by River Valley. The rates of River Valley and Ruthven are currently being consolidated and starting January 1, 2007, your services and rates and charges will be governed by the River Valley tariffs and schedules.

So what does this mean to you? You now will be given a choice on whether you would like to become a member in River Valley Telecommunications Coop with all the voting and patronage rights like the Graettinger and Wallingford exchange members now have.

If you would like to become a member, please sign and return the bottom portion of this letter. You must have telephone service in order to become a member in the coop.

Yes, **I would like to become a member** of River Valley Telecommunications Coop. I understand that I will be billed \$10.00 on my next phone bill for this membership.

Dated _____

Signed _____
Telephone 712-837-_____

(Return to River Valley, PO Box 298, Graettinger 51342 or drop off at the Ruthven office)